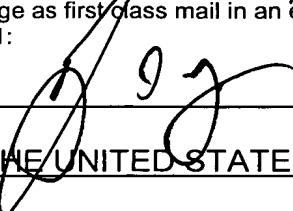


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Appl. No. : 10/035,873

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Title : Planar Filter and Multi-Pole Angle-Connecting Device with a Planar
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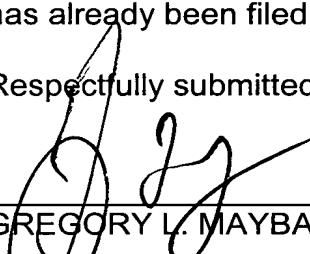
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The above-mentioned new patent application was filed on December 31, 2001 without a signed oath or declaration, under the provision of 37 C.F.R. 1.53(f).

In accordance with the above-mentioned rule, the signed declaration was forwarded to the Patent Office with a mailing certificate and the surcharge on February 15, 2002.

Counsel has now received a Notice to File Missing Parts of Application, dated February 6, 2002. However, as mentioned above, the original signed declaration has already been filed.

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